

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Paul BERGER et al. Conf.:
Appl. No.: Div. of 09/565,455 Group:
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For: SI-BASED RESONANT INTERBAND TUNNELING
DIODES AND METHODS OF MAKING INTERBAND
TUNNELING DIODES

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

August 21, 2001

Sir:

The following preliminary amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 1-53 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter contained therein.

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